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The American Recovery and Reinvestment Act

Veterans

Description

The American Recovery and Reinvestment Act provides a \$250 one-time payment to recipients of VA compensation and pension benefits and adds an extra \$1 billion for upgrades and repairs to veterans' medical facilities and veterans' cemeteries.

Eligibility

Individuals receiving VA compensation and pension benefits. **Please note:** if you currently receive benefits from Social Security and/or SSI, and you also receive VA and/or RRB benefits, you will receive only one \$250 payment.

How to obtain the benefit

No action is required. The Veterans Administration will automatically issue the payments. They expect everyone who is entitled to a payment to receive it in June 2009. VA will issue the payment separately and it will **NOT** be included in your regular C&P benefit payment. VA will send the payment to you in the same way you receive your current VA benefit, whether by direct deposit or mail.

Questions or Help

Contact VA Veterans Service Representatives at 1-800-827-1000 or at www.va.gov
Office of Congresswoman Susan Davis (619) 280-5353